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BY JOSEPH M. SANDERSON, for publishing by subscription, A BIOGRAPHY OF THE SIGNERS Declaration of Independence,

ACCOMPANIED WITH PLATES; o which will be annexed a history of the proceedings of congress during the passage of the law, and the Declaration itself, with fac-aimile engravings of the

By PAUL ALLEN, Esq.

TO THE PUBLIC. T seems a little surprising that amongst seems a little surprising that amongst so many subjects as have been present. I for American Biography, the lives of ose who have affixed their signatures to a Declaration of Independence have been rerlooked or disregarded. The eyes of sousands have dwelt with rapture upon the monatorial that

ocument that announced to the world that these United Colonies were, and of right ight to be, free, sovereign, and indepen-ent states;" while we are better acquaint-d with the handwriting than with the chaho have added their signatures to that inrument. The founders of the only remaining republic on the globe, have, with
few splendid exceptions, gone to their
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is not the object of the present attempted deal in that profusion of indiscriminate d unsparing panegyric, so often and sold unsparegyric, sthey were; they stand in need of no pegyric; and we earnestly solicit from arriving relations and friends of those politionary patriots all the information the ill tend to a developement of character, an is the creature of circumstance, and e wish to show the progress of those patriots from their first resistance of colonial ression, until they stood forth the noble dundaunted champions of their country's dependence. All this can only be done to a familiar acquaintance with the lives of esemen, and whoever of the surviving

ese men, and whoever of the surviving ends or relatives will furnish facts and roumstances in their possession to unfold d illustrate their characters, shall be enled to a copy of the work as a recomnse. It is contemplated, wherever it is acticable, further to embellish the medided work with correct likenesses of the bjects of our biography, executed by the light state of the bjects of our biography, executed by the light state of the state of the surviving relatives and friends. If ay will transmit to the publisher any en-aving or portrait from which a copy may taken, the original shall be faithfully re-med, and shall likewise be remunerated

th a copy of the work. In the first numr it is proposed to give an account of the claration of Independence, from the first otion that was made on the floor of cond embracing much curious and secret tory: finally, we promise to add to our a number the Declaration of Indepen-nce itself, with fac-simile engravings of signatures. We have now compendi-sly stated the objects of our present un-rtaking, and we hope that it will be un-cessary to mention that no exertions on

part shall be spared.
The public are now in possession of our piect, which does indeed seem to be dended, by the avidity so recently displator the possession of the Declaration of for the possession of the Declaration of lependence, since it is of very little impact to become acquainted with a man's distributed withing without a previous knowledge the man. The secret history of our Devation of Independence, the lives of hose behave affixed their signatures to that imment, accompanied by their likenesses, finally the Declaration itself with facilies of the signatures, will bring into one pact view the prominent facts of that impact view the prominent facts of that intentions.

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THURSDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 25, 1819.

[No. 5471.

For Norfolk & Richmond, The Schr. MARY & ELIZA, will sail for the above ports on Sunday next.—For freight apply to Wm. Ramsay, or the Captain on board at Ramsay's wharf.

JOHN BROHAWN. February 24

For Freight,

The new and fast sailing brig Nereus, burthen 225 tons or about 2000 bbls. she is a superior copper fastened vessel, and daily expected from an Also, The schooner LAUREL, Thomas

The schooner LAUREL, Thomas C. Stephens, master. She is a fine new vessel, of 100 tons burthen, for which a freight for Oporto or Lishon would be preferred. She will probably be here in a preferred. Apply to JOHN H. LADD & Co.

February 24

For Freight, The ship MARIA, J. Swaine, master, carries 3,500 barrels, is an excellent vessel, and in complete order to receive a cargo on board. Apply to LAWARASON & FOWLE,

For Sale,

The schur UNION, burthen 100 the best materials near New-Bedford, is coppered and copper fastened, and can be sent on a voyage at a trifling expense. She will be sold low and on liberal credit. If if not sold at private sale, will be offered at auction on SATURDAY next atl2 o'clock, as she now lays at Central wharf. Apply as above. February 23

For New-York.

The fast sailing schr. DASH, J. Griffith, master, burthen 750 barrels, will be ready on Monday to receive freight and be dispatched immediately. Apply to J. H. LADD, who offers for sale on board said schooner, bo barrels and 5000 bunches onions

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For Freight, The fine fast sailing Schr. FAR-MERS FRIEND, A. Seemis, master burthen, 80 tons or 450 barrels. She is no rly new, and will be in complete order for the reception of a cargo in 8 days. Ap-ply to T. H. HOWLAND.

For Sale.

The elegant and very fast sailing sloop FRANCES, burthen 40 tons, nearly new, and in complete or ler.—Apply to T. H. HOWLAND.

For New-York, The schooner SALLY & POLLY, Chas. Travers, master, carries 600

barre's and will be ready to take a cargo on board in four days. Apply to LAWRASON & FOWLE. February 17 For Sale, A small schooner, well calculated for the approaching fishing season.

Four casks real Bridgort seine twine, with a general assertment of rope, lar, boards, Scantling, shingles, &c. &c.
JOSIAH HEWES DAVIS.
February 15
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Liverpool Salt and Coal. POR SALE, the cargo of the ship Hazard, W. Crabtree, jr. master, from Liverpool, of salt and coal. Apply to LAWRASON & FOWLE:

For Freight,
The ship HAZARD, burthen 3800
his is in complete order and ready to load as soon as her present cargo can be discharged. Apply as above.
january 19

For Freight, The sloop ALERT, capt. Smith, lent vessel, and will take freight for any Southern port. Apply to LAWRASON & FOWLE. january 14

Sales at Vendue. On every and Friday WILL BE SOLD,

At the Vendue Store, corner of Prince and Water streets, ing Gunits Companies, &c. Particulars of which will be expressed in

the bilis of the day. mitation, and the prices of which are esta-blished, can at any time be viewed and purchased at the lowest limitation prices.

Miss Porter's new Romance.

JUST received, and for sale by JAMES KENNEDY & SON, The Fast of St. Magdalen, A somance, in two volumes, By Miss Anna Maria Porter.

Letters from Geneva and France, written aring a residence of near three years in different parts of those countries, and address ed to a Lady in Virginia by her Fa-Tebruary 10

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For 1819.

WITH a large and general stock of school books and stationary, suitable for the country trade, for sale by Oct 8 3OHN A. STEWART.

This day is published, ND for sale at the booksfore of JAMES KENNEDY & SON, The Controversy between M. B. & Quæro.

which appeared in the Alexandria newspa-pers in the year 1817, on some points of ROMAN CATHOLICISM: To which is added AN APPENDIX, containing a brief notice of Lather—of In-dulgencies—of the Inquisition—and of the Order of the Jesuits.

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PRINTING-OFFICE, PRINTER'S ALLEY, In the rear of W. F. Thornton's druggist store, Fairfax-street, ALEXANDRIA.

Liverpool Salt.

TWO THOUSAND bushels coarse Lilert, for sale by LAWRASON FOWLE,
Who have just received 100 boxes fresh january 13 raisins.

Books and Stationary. OBERT GRAY has just received for Books and Stationary, among which are the

following articles, viz:
Sir Robert Wilson's sketch of the military and publical power of Russia
Phillips's speeches; Shey's bookkeeping
Say's catechism of political economy
Manners & customs; Accidents of life
Bennett's letters; history of the late war
Volney's Ruins; Brownie of Bodsbeck The Sisters; Pope's Essay on Man
Tales of my Landlord; Taylor's inquiry
Travels at home; Demestic Madicine
Debates of the Virginia Convention, on
the adoption of the Federal Constitution
Wright's Life of Christ and his apostles. Bonnet boards by the gross, dozen or sin-August 28

New Books.

Just received on consignment, and for sale by the subscriber, ALES of my landlord, second series New tales, by Mrs Opie
Zion's Pilgrim, by Robert Hawker, D D
Events of the French Revolution, by the paroness de Stael : O'Reilev's Greenland Johnson's quarto dictionary, vol. I

Taylor's Arator, 4th edition Raffle's tour on the continent Village sermons; Olive-Branch Dwight's geography for schools, in which Dwight s geography for schools, in which
Europe is divided according to the late act
of the congress of Vienna Also,
A few copies of Bible News or Sacred
Truths relating to the Living God, his only
Son, and Holy Spirit, by No h Worcester,
A M ROBERT GRAY.

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AND BROKER'S OFFICE,

Bridge-street, Georgelown. THIS is intended as a permanent estab-L lishment, and the community will find it one of the greatest conveniences in the Unite 1 States, and of great public utility. At this house the fair exchange on the diffe-At this house the fair exchange on the different bank notes from every part of the union can at all times be had: It is to be hoped that, by the operations of this office, the community will get rid of a host of Shirocks, Shavers, Secret and Running Brokers, who intest the District, frequently proclaiming the failure of country solvent banks, for the express purpose of purchasing the notes of such institutions at great discounts. Business under the following heads will be transacted. This establishment possesses funds to negotiate for any amount, and all business done for eash.

Piano Fortes. WO elegant fine toued Plans Fortes, with the additional keys, for sale by JAS, KENNEDY & SON.

The Gentleman's ANNUAL POCKET REMEMBRANCER For 1819,

CONTAINING—The Almana, reled Dages for memorantums; duties payable on goods, &c.; naval and custom house officers; public appraisers; information concerning patents; post office establishment; official army and navy lists; a correct register of the American many; marine corps; government of the U. States, executive, legislative and judiciary; territorial governments; intercourse with foreign nations; directors and cashiers of the bank of the U. States, &c. &c.

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ALSO,

THE LADY'S POCKET-BOOK for 1819,

Containing—The Almanac; used pages for memorandums; description of Pitcaim's island; bishop Watson's letter on a future state; remarks on female dress and on marriage; morality of the Batrledore; account of the Cherokee schools. Selected Puetry—Answers to last year's enigmas; charades; new and fashionable songs; rebuses. New country dances and waltzes; marketing tables; tables reducing shillings and pence to cents; also for showing the value of dollars in ounds, shillings and pence—Are just received for sale by

JAMES KENNEDY & SON.

November 24

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Sugar, &c. ANDING from the brig Union, cant. Williams, from Marblehead, and for sale by LAWRASON & FOWLE, 150 bags white sugars, superior quality 220 pieces 1st and 2d quality Russia

200 do heavy and light ravens do 200 do white and brown shirtings 4000 lbs soft shelled almonds. jan 1

Negroes. WANTED, a few negroes calculated for a farm Young hove and girls would be preferred. Persons wishing to sell may find a purchaser at the Indian Queen Hotel, in Alexandria. February 9

Spermaceti Candles, &c. TUST RECEIVED. 33 boxes Rodman's sperm, candles on special raising to bloom do so his apples—(Newtown pippins)

Men's coarse and fine shoes

Women's shoes and slippens

Boys' and children's shoes

In store, Together with a general assortment of sceries.
S. & T. PLUMMER.
December 15

Mechanics' Bank of Alex'a. THE Stockholders of the Mechanics' Bank of Alexandria are hereby notified that one quarter of the seventh instal-ment is called for to this institution, payable at the Bank on the 19th January next, one quarter on the 19th of February, and one half of the eighth instalment on the 19th of March next. By order of the Board, Dec 7 P. H. MINER, Cashier.

L. Masterson.

BOOT AND SHOE MAKER, RETURNS his grateful thanks to his truends and the public in general, for the liberal patronage he has received in his line of business, and hopes they will continue it. He has on hand a good assortment of the best Philadelphia leather, which he intends manufacturing in the best manner: for neatness and durability it will be excelled by none. He has on hand a good assortment of

Boots, Bootees and Shoes, which he will sell on reasonable terms for cash, or to punctual customers at the usus credit, at his old stand opposite the Gaze've

office. Royal-street.

N. B. Two boys of good disposition would be taken as apprentices to the above business. Those from the country would be preferred. August 24

Exchange & Broker's Office.

Georgetown, District of Columbia.

ROMULUS RIGGS.

A T his office, next doo below Crawford's tavern. Bridge-st Georgetown, will exchange all kinds of Bank Notes ru such institutions at great discounts. Bristness under the following heads will be transacted. This establishment possesses forms
to negotiate for any amount, and all busidenses done for cash.

Ist. all bank checks, bills at sight, post
notes not due, and bank notes from all parts
of the United States, hought and sold.

2.4. All notes, bills of exchange, dividends and interests, collected and remitted
according to orders.

3.4. The notes of the United States bank
and all off its branches received at par.

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deposit current money for safe keepingand if left for thirty days, or longer, will
receive at the rate of six per cent, per-annoum for the same.

5th. All business in the line of a money
broker promptly attended to for a small
commission.

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for saic keeping, and draw for the same as
may suit their convenience.

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Tobacco and Segars. JUST received and for sale, first quality Chewing Tobacco,

Fine flavored Spanish Segars.
Sept 29 WM. DEVAUGHN: Just Landing.

FROM brig Susan, from Portland, and for sale at the cabinet warehouse, low-Carrioles, Waggons, &c.

together with Furniture and Chaire; viz.:
3 ton carricles, with plated barness
14 Jersey waggons, with harness
Bureaus; tables; sideboards
Dressing glasses; bedsteads; chairs
A few barrels No I mackerel A general assortment of goods in his line comprising the best variety in the district Columbia: all of which will be sold low.

ON RAND,
Mahogany, in logs and boards.

OF Furniture, &c. made and repaired as SAMUEL WARD.

Bank Notes. 1000 to 50,000 Dollars.

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WISHES to purchase from one to fifty
thousand dollars of North Carolina,
South Carolina, and Georgia bank notes,
which will be taken at a very small discount. All kinds of western and other uncurrent bank notes exchanged on the lowest terms.—Persons travelling to the westward can at all times get the notes of these
banks at a reasonable discount.—Bills of
exchange and bank checks, negociated on
any part of the United States.—Notes of
United States bank, and all of the branches,
exchanged.

Georgetown, one door below Craw-ford's tavers, October 17.

I. HOIT'S PRINTERS WAREHOUSE.

DRINTING TYPES, of all the kinds manufactured in the United States; the Columbian printing press; common do; standing presses, various sizes; printing ink, from the different factories; all kinds; cast and wrought iron chases, from the super-royal to the card chase; sheepsfoots; turoscrews; job and book sticks, with bress or iron slides; mallogany do; shears; spring steel points; common do; bodkins; saws; girths; ball skins for news or book work; ball stocks, do; ball nails; wool; wool cards; candiesticks; snuffers; imposing stones, with frames, for one or two forms; trass double and single rule; column rules; parchments; tye brushes; dust, proof and pick do; metal cuts of bouses, ships, steam-boats, and stages; cherry and whitewood cases; do for Greek, figure and rule, flowers, and algebra; galleys of all NO. 32 BUBLING-SEIP, NEW-YORK. whitewood cases; do for Greek, figure and rule, flowers, and algebra; galleys of all kinds; frames with or without slides; case racks; swing troughs; wetting do; furniture of all kinds; letter, press and paper boards; mallets; shooting sticks; plainers; quoins; press blankets; page cord; blank cards; Prinling, Writing and Letter Paper, of all kinds; together with ornaments and other articles, all of the lest quality.

(C) A large assortment of second hand type, of almost every description, for sale as above, specimens of any tount of which will be iorwanted to order.

Every kind of PRINTING and WRITING PAPER, supplied at the manufacturer's price.

October 8

Musical Tuition.

THE subscriber, at the solicitation of many judiciduals, is induced to take the house next door to Mr. Moore's Notary office, Prince-street, where he will teach lustrumental Music this winter. He assures those who may patronize him, that his utmost efforts shall be exerted to give perfect satisfaction. Subscription papers are left at Mr. Gray's bookstore.

Ladies will be taught on the Double of Single Flageolet, and Music arranged and neatly copied.

Oct 29

LIONEL J. LARKIN:

Gone to the Southward or Westward;

Westward:

A YELLOW WOMAN, called Celia A Detcher, in the 23d year of her age, about 5 feet 2 or 3 inches high—marks like moles on the right side of her face, which, with several lefters on her left arm, were made with india ink. She is about four months gone in a state of pregnancy—followed her husband, Jim Clark, a yellow man, who was purchased from this place and taken away in company with a large number of slaves, about two week ago, by a man of the name of Basset. It is supposed they have gone to the westward: Celia was born free, and had with her a notarial certificate of her freedom, and description of her person. Her mother, the subscriber, is much afflicted by her manner of going away, and desires that any humane people who may chance to meet with her, will persuade her to return, being apprehensive that when she gets into a strange country, where she will be unknown and out of the reach of her friends and those who would be likely to protect her, aftempts may be made by some avaricious and unprincipled persons, to decrive her of her liberty, and sell her for a stare. Should any such attempts be made, fifty dolfars reward will be paid to any person who will communicate such information as shall lead to the conviction of the effenders, and the recovery of the woman.

HANNAH DETCHER.

Alexandria, October 6, 1818.

To the Public.

A N unusual sensibility has been excited in the minds of our countrymen by the copper plate engraving of the Declaration of Independence recently, published, accompanied by fac similes of the signatures of those illustrious patriots who framed the document by which our independence was announced to the world. We feel, while we dwell on those signatures, is if we were independent by which our independence was announced to the world. We feel, while we dwell on those signatures, is if we were independent of the participate in all the amotion which they fell on the approach of so a will a crissis—Hostile armies, desolate fields, towns and cities in confligration—carnage and death in its most frightful forms apeared in prophetic vision on the one hand, and more than all, the complicated horrors, ignominy and slavery were presented for their acceptance on the other; they deliberated, they paused, they trembled, and at last so-tempty appealing to the Good of battles, they resolved that the United States were and ought to be free, sovereign and independent. These illustrious patriots, with five solitary exceptions, have now mingled with the country's glory and in the recollection or a grateful people. But it would be consoling to the present generation, separated as they new are from those patriots, by the intervention of the tomb, to become more intimately acquainted with their relivolutionary benefactors. We love to dwell on the features of such men, suatched by the peacil from the oblivion of the grave, and emplate the prominent feats of their biography. Impressed with these ideas, the subscriber proposes, if suitable encouragement, is given, to publish the lives of those patriols in numbers, until the whole is completed. The work will be executed in a style not interior to any European productions, and the portraits by masters of acknowledged merit. The biography will be written by Paul Allen, est, whose intimately with the several signers, whose intimately and the provision of this condition of this condition of t

48, Market-street, Bultimore.

\*Any printer who will publish this notice and become responsible for five subscribers, shall receive one copy of the work.

December 22

Laws of the District of Columbia.

In the press, and will shortly be published, By DAVIS & FORCE,

A COMPLETE CODE OF LAWS FOR THE

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA." With a copious Index, prepared and reported by the Hon, chief justice Chancil, to the congress of the United States, for their sanction; agreeably to the provisions of the act of the 29th April, 1816, entitled "an act authorising the judges of the circuit court and the attorney for the District of Columbia, to prepare a code of jurisprudence for the said District."

The laws by which this District is now governed, can only be found by a reference to the numerous volumes containing those of the United States, of the states of Virginia and Maryland, and of England—therefore the acquisition of this code (which will comprise the whole in one volume,) must be considered as of the first importance, by all magistrates, gentlemen of the par, and citizens in general, who have, heretofore, experienced the necessity of a work of this description.

A few extra copies will be printed for such persons only as apply previous to the publication of the work.

Grentlemen who wish to be supplied, will please to leave their names at this office.

Wheat, Old Corn, and Mary-PURCHASED BY Oct 24 LAWRASON & FOWLE.

The National Register

Is a paper which is published, every saturday, at the city of Washington, in the District of Columbia, and each number contains aixteen pages octave, in small but very legible type. It makes two volumes in the year; and every volume is accompanied with a copious Index. The price per annum is five dollars, payable in advance. The Public Documents, both foreign and domestic; the proceedings of Congress, and authentic news of every description, are regularly inserted therein, and accompanied by critical and explanatory remarks. It value is also enhanced by organizational reviews of literary works; and all its sentiments are decidedly American, independent of all party constitutions. For this work, which is well established, regularly published, and franquitted weekly to subscribers by the mail, the public patronage is respectfully solicited.

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1819.

At a meeting of the Washington Society of Alexandria, at Brown's hotel, on Mon-day the 22nd of February, 1819, the fol-lowing resolution was adopted:

Resolved, unanimously, That the thanks of this Society be presented to Richard Henry Lee, esq. for his very elegant oration delivered this morning; and that he be requested to furnish a copy thereof for publication.

Extract from the minutes. C. P. THOMPSON, Secretary ORATION.

FELLOW CITIZENS:

At the courteous request of a highly res pectable society of Alexandria, I have undertaken to make an effort, a feeble one. am conscious, to sustain the honors which it has since its institution, paid, on this his natal day, to our illustrious Washington. The dignity of subjects appropriate to this occasion; the wisdom and eloquence of those who have preceded me : the presence of so numerous and so refined an audience. excite a diffidence unfelt before-a diffidence under which I should sink, did not the reflection cheer me, that even an attempt to pay an eulogium to a chief so admired, to a citizen so ardently beloved would be indulgently viewed; that the pale taper which I present, would be lost in the

lustre of the splendid theme. The scene too I now witness, is an animating one: under its influence my bosom elates with emotions almost unutterable it assures me that the genial and exalted feelings of freemen still glow within the breasts of Americans; for this scene is voluntarily displayed in bonor of liberty's favorite hero, of freedom's triumphant champion. It is animating; for it evinces the characteristics of an uncorrupted people gratitude for great and signal benefits conferred-admiration for gallant and geenerous achievements—respect for wisdom. and a due estimation of unsulfied merit. It is animating; for it attests that our national prosperity is yet unimpaired, as we have not met here to brood in mournful silence over the recollections of blessings once enjoyed. It is animating; for it demon strates to the world that our political liberties are yet safe and entire-that without fear or restraint,-yes, above all controul. we, the countrymen of Washington, may meet before the eyes of the rulers of our nation, and indulge many of the finest feelings of our nature.-We have not withdrawe from the scowling and jealous frowns of a tyrant to celebrate umphs; we have not retired, a small and melancholy band, to gloomy solitudes; we have not fled behind Helicon and Octa, to commemorate virtues and exploits, even the mention of which might be punished as an insult, because felt as a contrast; we need not whisper the cleeds of our ancestors, nor lift the finger of silence, lest we provoke the angry mandate of power, bidding us to cease our prais s of liberty and Washington.

In the consciousness of the possession. and in the tull truition of such high prerogalives, let us raise our minds in grateful and fearful adoration to that great Being, by whose mercy or justice empires rise of fall. Whether we reflect on the past, or ponder on the present, or indulge joyous anticipations of the future, let us not for a moment forget Hun who was the mighty deliverer of our forefathers; who is our wigilant guardian; and who may be concili ated as the omnipotent protector of our de-

It has been said, that "to perpetuate the memory of meritorious individuals, is, in effect, an essential service to the community." The truth of the remark has been felt from the earliest ages; and history shows it to be the dictate alike of untutored and civilized man. We perceive it as well in the rude mound of the forest, as in the inscriptions on polished statues and stately mausoleums. We listen to the sentiment in the wild song of the savage, and read it in the measured numbers of the poet.

It is the voice of nature which proclaims the praises of a benefactor. It is the adaition of wisdom that we boner the great moral ordination that honors paid to the memory of those who have saved and adorned the state, excite the living to its service, and prepare future heroes for its defence Hence the wisest and most refined nations Hence the wisest and most refined nations of antiquity thus employed their eloquence, and thus exerted every effort of their art ealth. We dwell with rapture on In the parting advice of Washington, en led d living flame of patriotism, while he lo as accomplished) to immortance the metermin of the American people.

It is occasion than a consideration of that fatives of no dou'tful character. From
this occasion than a consideration of that fasuch calamities, we confidently look for a

rathon to imbibe, over the monument erected out of the spoils of the Persian foe, abhorrence for tyrangy and love of country. And in a later age, the observer beheld in its dilapidation, the decline at once of Grecian freedom and virtue. Greec and Rome ceased to be free when they became insensible to the worth and valor of Phocion-to the wisdom and integrity of Cate. The poetry and eloquence of America have expressed her gratitude, may we not behold her arts testifying a people's adminnistration of their warrior and sage. We rejoice at a motion to this effect in the councils of the nation ;-ere long, and the traveller shall pause in his course to contemplate on Potomac's bank some noble monument of national gratitude to him whose name shall be as immortal as its

The day which we have assembled to honor, is conspicuous in the annals of mankind. A great and happy people hail itdistant nations remark its return-tyrants feel more deeply their disgrace—the hopes of desponding patriots revive—the fame and example of the great man whose birthday rekindle a nation's joy, ennoble human nature, and belong to the human race.

To delineate the character of Washington, would, perhaps, be superfluous; to recount the actions of his life, of which we are acquainted in the blessings they have wrought, an idle repetition ; yet it would be injustice to my audience to suppose that the history of events which established the ndependence of their country, and the glo-

ry of its leader.

The generous pride of an admiring people has delighted in the results of comparisons drawn between the worthies and warriors of past times and their favorite hero. A calm contemplation of his character, however, seeks no aid in the equivocal light and shades of parallels and contrasts to establish its claim to unequal greatness. I would insult you to compare our Washington with either the conqueror at Issus or at Austerlitz; to contrast the adventurous daring of the one, the impetuous boldness, the overwhelming invasions of the other, with the unshaken firmness, the unconquerable fortitude, of the American commander-no, we point you to an infrepid chief, who never shrunk from danger and death; whose "magnanimity had triumphed over the last infirmity of virtuous minds,' and prohibited him to sacrifice public utility and the lives of thousands to personal glory; who, fighting for liberty himself, "was too just to invade the rights" of others. We lead you to the camp of Valley Forge, to witness a scene of awful beroism; to behold a chief whose heart is bleeding at the indiscribable hardships of the little band, which stern misfortune, pinching poverty, and wintry stories, yet leave him, within sight of a haughty and numerous fee, vauntingly-displaying "the pride, pomp, and circumstance of war," and entrenched within the capitol, firmly grasping the banners on which now depended the last hopes of its dismayed and despairing country ! We turn with indignation from the despot who retained by force the sword entrusted to him, and employed if for purposes of unexampled tyranny at home, and desolation abroad; to the hero, who, when he had repelled the invaders, and est blished the liberties, resigned the powers of a conqueror to the civil authorities of his native land. All Europe expressed her wonder; all America poured forth her admiration! We turn with increased detestation from the Champ de Mars, where a monarch sits upon a throne, surrounded by slaves, and receives professions of love amid the files of a pampered soldiery, to the virtuous citizen who is called by the unanimous suffrage of three millions of freemen to the station of first magistrate; whose way is every where greeted with acclamations of unfeigued affection; whose path is strewed with the olive and laurel by the wives and daughters of those whom he had rescued from oppres sion. We point you to the man who guided with consummate wisdom the republic

Nor washe skilled in awful schemes alone

And how to make a mighty people thrite But equal goodness, sound integrity. A firm, unshaken, uncorrupted soul.

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No one can read the public addresses of our Patriot, without remarking the earnestness with which he constantly urged upon the minds of his countrymen, the importance of an barmonious and indissoluble union of the states. The establishment of a federal government on some solid hasis, which moving within its proper sphere, not interrupting the state sovereigntles, yet drawing to one point, the seperate energies of remote and extended communities, he tho't a subject as worthy of his best exertions as the cause of independence itself. Hence he gave towards the formation of our present constitution the benefit of his wisdom in council, and the support of his influence and firmness in bringing its practical operation to a happy result. He has left us in the history of his administration, principles which may serve to guide future rulers; to which it will be safety to adhere; to depart from which would be guilt and danger. It is to be regretted that his administration was cast on stormy and inauspicious times. But notwithstanding the crude but delucing novelties of reform, the wild and eccentric theories of intemperate enthusiasm, which warred against the cross of Christ-against the thrones of earthly their interest had ceased to be excited in Kings, and the bland liberties of peaceful republics, he performed incalculable good for his country; not the least, perhaps, in the early demonstration of the strength of a government which rests for its support on the consent and virtue of a free people.

The study of this constitution can never be useless or uninteresting-it would seem peculiarly appropriate to the present mo-

ment. Extensive confederacies have seldom appeared on the theatre of human affairs, and it has been remarked that "the part they have acted has been a short one." An attentive research into history, affords ample confirmation of the remark. We should be excited to an anxious and diligent enquiry into the frame of ours, lest the principles of self dissolution and decay lurk within it, that in time we may eradicate them, or at least, delay their operation. It will impart to the patriotic enquirer no common gratification, that in the differences between our confederacy, and those over whose premature downfall history laments, and in the improvements in the science of government which later times had made, an exception to the mark may be distinctly discerned

In the Lycian, Achian, and Ætolian leagues of antiquity, the defect consisted in the weakness of the confederate arm. The distrustful republicans of Greece were ever jealous of any sovereignty other country, father, sons and brethren meet and Washington, "that heaven has not allied ger to which each state would, singly, be mon feeling; innumerable circumstances unequalled, occasioned united exertions invite to fellowship; every citizen of the of their wisdom and valor. The only atwas exercised to any beneficial extent was common glory: if a slight exception exist. deliberation. The obvious deficiency was every day lessens its force. the absence of executive powers. These were left to the states. The necessary consequence was, that a simultaneous effort was seldom made against the common enemy. Federal functionaries were unknown to Grecian politicians. Another error consisted in this, that the sovereignty essential to the creation of a national spirit was too sparingly yielded up to the. union-a form of government in which the majesty of state sovereignty was represented in one deliberative body, and the sovereignty of the people of the states viewed as one nation, in another more nunerous and popular branch, is looked for elsewhere in vain. For this anomaly, as some might term it, but as we would maintain, a master-peice in politics—we are indebted to American statesmen.

To impart to a federal government sufficient vigor, without impairing the soverejenty of the states, was the most difficult task our statesmen had to perform. Tho' the nature of the case admitted not of a distinct and specific enumeration of every possible power which it might be salutary for the general government to exercise, an exact and unquestionable limitation of that exercise in every moment of necessity or peril, yet for all the great and ordinary purposes of national benefit and safety, these powers and limitations are so clearly marked, that the states have little to fear from federal encroachments on their rights. There is no doubt, however. that the greatest danger to the continuance of our national government, results from the possible interference of state rights and federal power. Artful constructions of the ed the sword of destruction-long may it constitution and an ambitious grasp at powers, never meant to be entrusted on the part of the latter, may force the former to the Jamentable necessity of resistance and severance, which, even at the last moment, may be a thezardous, and difficult extremity. But still we have preven-

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It is not alone, from the striking and novel differences between our confederacy, and the ancient leagues that we may anticipate durability to the American union. The atmospheres our people breathe, the soils they cultivate, the zones that envircle the quarter of the globe we inhabit. are so many sources, not of repulsion, but of political consonance and concord. Every intermediate degree of temperature between the heat of a torrid sun and regions of boreal cold, may be felt; the growth of every soil may be found within our limits the productions of each section furnish the means or the luxuries of life to the other. A lucrative commerce, every moment increasing with the multiplying population and the wants of our inhabitants -keeping pace with the improvements of arts and the discoveries of science, expanding more and more as the capacitles of the country are developed, continually open new sources of profit and inducements to enterprize. No unfriendly and illiberate restrictions shall ever fetter this commerce, no rainous duties shall reduce the well earned gains of the "adventurous ploughmen of the deep,"-no bostile winds shall repel the ships of the East from the shores of the South. The rivers of the west shall continue to hurry along their streams its products, through the territories of the same nation to the ocean.

It is true that differing climates form va rious character and different manners. We see in this fact no argument against the continuance of political harmony between the several parts of our confederacy. Every new state is the offspring of an elder mem ber of the republic no essential dissimilarity, therefore, of character-no "jarring discordance of feeling"-no irreconcilable prejudices obstruct intercourse, or mar its pleasures

He who inhaled in infancy the keen air of a northern, soothes the lassitude of age in the mild breezes of a southern latitude whither he has carried the recollection of the sports of his boyhood, and the habits of his youth. He who once clambered the rocksof the Allegany, now follows the rapid course of the Miami, or reclines bim under the orange groves of Louisiana. Think you, he is not now beholding, in fancy, the rugged cliffs and "cloud capt summits" of his native mountain? In every part of our United States enjoys equal blessings, boasts one common origin, participates in one

These, my fellow citizens, are some of the political and moral considerations, which, we would fondly believe, constitute such radical differences between our confederacy and those of which history makes us acquainted, as to justify a rational hope of the permanency of our national compact. In regard to the dangerous tendencies of war upon our union, we have within ourselves the means of avoiding the causes, or of mitigating their evil consequences. The story of the states to which we have alluded, confirms the monitory voice of Washton; for the most durable of ancient leagues was that most renowned for its justice and moderation, "Let us observe justice and moderation to all nations. It will be worthy of a free and enlightened, and at no distant period, a great nation, to furnish to the world, the too novel spectacle of a people always actuated by exalted justice and

benev lence."

The philanthropic heart finds the purest enjoyment of its own good, in its sympathies with others. Let us then still further enliven the present occasion, by a view of the state of our fellow men, in other parts of the world. War has ceased-the pursuits of civil life are renewed throughout Europe-its monarchs seem wearied of the dangers of war, and sigh no more for military glory. The conflicts of 30 years have desolated and defaced their fairest possessions, have thrown down the monuments of their arts, and laid in ashes their proudest cities. They would appear to have learnt the value of tranquillity. They have hushed the clangor of the trumpet, and sheathrest within its scabbard. Peace has de scended from on high, and diffuses over the nations her gentle influence. The olive expands her branches and exhales her fragrance on the Dneiper and the Danube, the Thames and the Loire. The waters of the Ganges and Indus flow on unstained with the blood of contending nations. But, alas! this delightful scene is not universal. To prevent disappointment, on the mor-

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RAN away on the evening of the 11th inst. a Black Negro Woman, named EVELINA commonly called Emeline, about 20 years old, remarkable thick lips, far gone in pregnancy, her clothes were 2 suits, blue and white domestic cotton, blue and white shawl, a plaid silk bonnet, an ald brown over coat. I will give 100 dollors if taken upwards of fifty miles, and thirty dellars if taken within fully miles from home, and return her to me. She has re-lations in Maryland, and in or about Georgetewn, D. C.

#### February 23 D. McCLEAN. Was Committed

To the jail for the county of Alexandria, on the 17th inst, as a runaway, a negro man, who calls himself MOSES DAVIS, and says he formerly belonged to a Nelly Rallings, at Fell's Point, Baltimore, and that Doctor Colter, of Baltimore, can inform his mistres of him. Said negro is about 27 years of age, five feet, six inches high, dressed in sailor's clothes; he says he sailed from Baltimore twelve years ago with capt.

ANDW. ROUNSAVELL, Jailor.

Spirits, Sugar, vc.

A FEW puncheons of superior quality
Antigus and Jamaica spirits
Superine Barbados sugar, in hids
Jamaica pimento
Also, a parcel of cocoa nuis—for sale
on liberal terms at No. 99 Union-st.
N. REILLY.

September 30

Information Wanted. CEORGE RUTHERFORD, Esq. a pative of Scotland, and formerly a lieutenant in the British navy, arrived in this country a considerable time ago. His friends are extremely solicitous to learn whether he is still alive or whether he is no more. It is earnestly requested that any information by which it may be ascertained whether he is or is not in dife, may be communicated to the Rev. Dr. James Laurie, city of Washington.

rie, city of Washington.

Should this notice meet the eye or of r.
Rutherford, by communicating with tan, ne will be apprised of circumstances, which it is of the unnost importance for him to know. JAMES LAURIE. Washington, Feb. 20 31 Mahogany on Sale.

THE subscriber has on hand and offers for sale 4 or 5000 feet first quality St. Domingo and Bay MAHOGANY, at the Baltimore prices for Case, onto punctual customers at the usual credit.—Gentlemen vho are building can be supplied with who are building can be supplied with hand railing cut to any dimensions, at a short notice—also any orders for furniture which the subscriber may be favored with, from persons residing either in town or the country will be promptly attended to and executed in a superior stile.

ROBT ABERCROMSIE.

Corner of King and Affred streets,

Clover Seed. A N additional supply of fresh CLOVER SEED, is this day received and on itsele by T. CRUSE. sale by February 20

New Clover Seed, Cheese, &c FIFTY bushels fresh warranted Clover

> 60 casks Goshen cheese 60 barrels whiskey. 40 kegs lard in nice shipping order

35 firkins butter 800 lbs, Tennessee live feathers 5 pipes choice London particular Madeira

Murdock & Co. and March & Co's
brands, which will be sold low by the pipe

or less quantity.

N. B. A general assortment of groceries

MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR. February 8 Sugar, Apples, &c. RECEIVED by the sloop Rising-Sun, capt. Smith, from Providence, R. 1.

E. CORNING. and for sale by Vowell's wharf, 60 bbls brown sugar \* 5 hhds N. E. rum

2 pipes gin 27 bbis cider 50 do apples 70 bushels potatoes

#### 3000 wt. codfish Cotton.

jan 4

TWENTY-TWO bales excellent quality Georgia Upland—just received and for sale by T. H. HOWLAND.

Hemp and Sugars. WENTY tons very superior clear Rus-

sia hemp.
32 barrels Muscavado sugars,
Landing from brig Ventrosa, capt Allen,
from Boston, for sale by
LAWRASON & FOWLE.

#### Jones's Point.

THE subscriber wishes to let for one sea-son or more his excellent fishery, or is son or more his excellent fishery, or is willing to work it out on shares.—Application to be made to him personally, or written particulars left at Mr. George Hill's, timplate worker, Fairfax-street, Alexandria. He also informs the inhabitants of Alexandria, and its neighborhood, that the has invented a nightbolt to bed rooms, by means of which the door is bolted or unbolted without the trouble of rising out of bed.—House hells, but up and repaired in the

House bells put up and repaired in the neatest manner, and on the most reasona-ble terms. Orders left as above directed, will be duly attended to. February 8 G JONES.

#### Bricklayers and Stone Masons Wanted.

Wish to employ for the ensuing season a number of bricklayers and stone masons, to whom constant employment and good wages will be given, at Old Point Comfort, on Chesapeake Bay. None need apply but good workmen and men of steady habits. Apply to the subscriber at old Point Comfort. BOLITHA LAWS,

February 6 tA1
The National Intelligence and Federal
Gazette will publish the above till April 1.

Mechanics' Bank. Alexandria, February 5, 1819. THE stockholders of this bank are here-by notified that an election will be held at the Court-house in this place, on Monday the 8th day of March next, for the purpose of electing fifteen directors to serve the ensuing year. P. H. MINOR, February 6 Cashier.

### Engineer Department,

Washington, January 28, 1819.

PROPOSALS will be received for the delivery of 4000 casks of Thomastown lime; 2000 casks at Old Point Comfort, Chesaperke Bay, in the months of February. March and May; and 2000 at Fort Washington, on the Potomac, in the months of March, May, July, September and November.

W. K. ARMISTEAD, Lieut. Col. Commandant Engineers. February 1

# W. & W. Hannon,

RESPECTFULLY inform their friends and the public in general, that they still continue to carry on the above business in all its various branches, at the same old-stand, Royal-st. between King and Prince, and have now on hand a handsome assortment of cabinet ware, all of their own manner. ment of cabinet ware, all of their own manufacture; consisting of side-boards, secretarys and book cases, bureaus, ladies' work stands, mahogany and stained wood beadsteads, cradles, sophas and easy chairs, one handsome mahogany writing desk, &c. &c. Also, on hand a large quantity of St. Domingo and Bay Mahogany, in log and boards, and cut to any dimensions at a short notices—four or five thousand feet of elegant veneers for bureaus and screetarys, all of which they are determined to sell lower than the same quality can be had in the er than the same quality can be had in the district. All kinds of upholstry work

They would rent for one of more years a very excellent shop and yard for a carpenter, wheelwright, or blacksmith, situated on Royal-street, between Prince and Duke street.

#### Shoes and Hats

S. & D. REED HAVE just received a fresh supply, consisting of the following kinds—Ladies' morocco bootees [colored] Do walking shoes, black & Do cork sole do more cork

morocco slips with military heels
Do black and colored Do kid slips do
Misses' and children's morocco and lea-

Men's calf skin shoes (ther shoes Do thick do; boys' thick and bound do Men's and boys ow priced hats Boys' white wool low priced do 2 boxes ladies' fine straw bonnets All of the above articles are offered for sale at low prices for cash, or at the usual time to punctual dealers that purchase by the quantity. We take this method to in form country merchants that we have made arrangements for a large supply of shoes for the ensuing spring, and shall be able to furnish them at the lowest Baltimore and Philadelphia prices. tt February 12

Fish Barrels and Salt. IWELVE hundred fish barriels, superior quality, which will be sold low.
6000 bushels salt, suitable for the fishe-

Cordage and cork for seines, for sale by
Feb 18 1f A. ADAMS A. ADAMS, Central wharf

Pork. A FEW barrels of prime PORK at the ware house of Mr. Ambrose Vasse, Washington-street.

STROTHER M. HELM. February 20 St. Ubes Salt & Lemons. POR SALE, the cargo of the schooner

Union, captain Swain, from St. Ubes 3000 bushels St. Ubes salt .25 boxes lemons
Apply to LAWRASON & FOWLE.
February 12

New Books, OR sale at the commission bookstore o R. GRAY. A new work on Farriery; I vol. octavo,

bound, 2 dols.
The Christian Economy; a valuable litthe work, said to be translated from the ori-ginal Greek of an old manuscript found in the Island of Patines, where St. John wrote his book of the Revelations. Price, half bound, 371 cents.

on HAND,

A good supply of Writing and Letter
November 18 paper.

# Bolting Cloths.

THE subscriber has this day received, a large and elegant assortment of Bolting Cloths, of a superior quality, which will be offered for sale at the store of Messrs. Butts & Cawood, King-street, Alex'a, where he intends keeping a complete assortment in FUTURE.
Sept 6 AMOS ALEXANDER.

Western Money. AFEW thousand dollars of Kentucky,
Ohio, and Pennsylvania bank notes
for sale at a liberal discount, well worth the
attention of drovers and others. Apply at
my Exchange Banking House and Broker's
Office, Bridge-street, Georgetown
December 10 ROMULUS RIGGS.

Barn Landing Fishery. WILL rent this excellent fishery, for ! years or less; application can be made to me personally or by letter, addressed to Pohick Church, Fairiax Co. Va. It will be useless to offer less than 300 dollars, that sum having already been refused.

GEORGE MASON.

Gunston. October 5

District of Columbia, to wit

# SALES AT APPTION.

Public S.Jc. ON THIS DAY, the Soil rise to a self-Alexandria, part of the personal tsub of Samuel Bland deceased, consisting of a complete set of Blacksmide, and hill-wright's tools—also, a quantity of machinery tools. Terms at the sale.

JANE BLAND.

Administratrix of Samuel Bland, 1525

#### By S. A. MARSTELLER.

On FRIDAY, at IOA. M. At the auction store, corner of France and Water Streets, will be sold, Superfine and line cloths

Coatings -Bennet cords Callicons Flushings Demestic cottons Rose and colored blankets Pelisse cloths

Bombazetis Marseilles vestings Silk velvets Colored cambrics
Silk, cotton and cloth abawls

Stockinetts

Flush trimmings Leno and jaconet muslims Satin, lutestring and love ribbons, &c,

A bags pimento So boxes lemons in good order 20 gin cases

30 reams writing paper 5 bbls. Muscovada sugar 1 cask molasses Furniture, beds, 6-c. &c.

#### February 25 Public Sale.

PURSUANT to a decree of the U.S. circuit court for the District of Columbia for the county of Alexandria, will be sold on the premises on the 12th day of March next, a lot of ground, en which is erected a frame tenement situate on the north side of Duke street and to the nextward of Alfred sircel in the town of Alexandria-21 feet 3 inches front and 86 feet deep to an alley 20 feet wideto an annuity or rent charge of 26 66-100 per annum. Ferms at sale. Feb 19 A. MOORE, Commis'r.

At the House of Industry, At the House of Industry,
I OUSEKEEPERS, and the public in
general, have now an opportunity of
furnishing their servants with shirts and
trowsers, strong and made of the best quality of Russi sheeting and duck, at a dollar each article. The stricles being bought
with ready money, and no profit charged
on them, enables the institution to sell them
thus low. The only advantage they covet
is the employment of the poor, in which
every citizen is interested. They have
also on hand linen and woullen shirts, pantaloons, jackets and waistcoats, which will
be sold very low. A person will attend to
exhibit them at their ware-house, corner
of Pitt and Prince-streets, near the Potemac
bank, from 3 o'clock in the afternoon until bank, from 3 o'clock in the afternoon until February 20

# Private Tuition.

THE subscriber has procured a young THE subscriber has procured a young gentleman (a graduate of Yale college) to conduct a private school in his family, and would be willing to receive three or four boarders for the next year. The instructor is eminently qualified to feach all the different brauches both of a classical and mathematical education.

THOMAS TURNER.

Fauquier county, Vir. Nov 30

Orphans' Court.

Alexandria County, February Term, 1819, February Term, 1819, ORDERED, That the administrator, debonismon, of William H. Marbury, deceased, do insert the usual notice to creditors and debtors three times a week for two weeks in the Alexandria newspapers.

A copy.

A. MOORE, Reg. wills.

This is to give notice. That the subscriber, of Alexandria county, in the District of Columbia, has obtained from the Orphan's court of said county, letters of administration, de bonis non, on the estate of William H. Marbury, late of the county aforesaid, deceased.—All person having claims against the said deceaned are hereby warned to exhibit the same to the subscriber, with the vouchers thereof are hereby warned to exhibit the same to the subscriber, with the vouchers thereof, passed by the Orphans' Court, on or before the 5th day of August next, or they may by law be excluded from all benefit to said estate; and those indebted thereto are required to make immediate payment.

Given under my hand this 6th day of February, 1819.

ROBERT S. BLACKLOCK

ROBERT S. BLACKLOCK, Adm.de bonis mon of Wm.H. Marbury, dec'd

Orphans' Court,

Alexandria County, Island February Term.

ORDERED, that the Executor of Jacob Formey, deceased, do insert the usual advertisement three times a week for three weeks in the Alexandria newspapers.

A Copy.

Teste, A. MOORE, Reg. of wille, THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE.

That the subscriber, of Alexandria county, in the district of Columbia, has obtained from the Orphans' Court of said county, letters testamentary on the estate of Jacob Formey, late of the county aforesaid, deceased. All persons having claims against the said decedent, are besely warned to exhibit the same to the subscriber, with the vouchers thereof, passed by the Orphans' Court, on or before the 5th day of August next, or they may by law be excluded from all benefit to said estate, and those indebted the reto are required to make immediate payment.

February, 7819.

HERVEY SUMMERS,

Freetuer of Jacob Fortday, ce'd.

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Building Lots or Sile. SUVDRY good lots upon Cameron, Pitt reasonable prices to purchasers who would build thereon. For terms enquire of MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.

For Sale or Rent,

THAT valuable property called CON-WAY'S WHARF, with the Ware-houses thereon fronting on Union-street. The warehouses will be rented separately if required. For terms apply to WM. HERBERT, jr.

August 25

To Let,

THAT convenient Brick house on Roy-Charles Cyler—possession to he had the 2211 of December next—for terms enquire of MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.

November 3

To Bent,

A convenient BRICK Dwelling bouse, at the upper end of King-st suitable for a genteel family. Also two frame dwellings and shops.— JAMES SANDERSON.

Houses for Sale.

The premises on the South east corner of King and Henry streets, containing 2 good dwelling houses, with stores ready fitted up for bu-

Also, the brick dwelling hous and store near to the former, lately in possession of Dennis M. Lyles, esq. for whose time therein, the Alrof Feb. next, it may be rented. All the above property would be sold non liberal credit, the payment being se MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR

September 28

Gunston for Sale. THIS elegant estate is situated on the Potomac, 16 miles below Alexandria—it is bounded on three sides by the Potomac and Pohick creek, and contains nearly 3,000 acres of land, level and fertile, to which are attached six shad and herring sheries, two of which command the river channel. This land will be laid off in ver channel. This land will be laid off in four tracts, so as to have one or more fishories to each; these tracts will be again divided it requisite. This estate is level and beautifully situated, very tertile, and remarkably healthy. Plaister acts with an offect equal to that of any part of Virginia or Pennsylvania.—I have used 500 bushels, in twelve mooths, and such is its beneficial operation, that were I to keep this land I should considerably increase the quantity. A manufacturing mill is distant about two miles on a stream navigable for vessels miles, on a stream navigable for vessels parrying 1200 bushels of wheat, where the Baltimore and Dist. of Columbia prices are given for grain; being bounded on 3 sides by water, a small extent only of fence is necessary to inclose the whole: it would be admirably adapted to grazing. The improvements are a large and very substantial brick mansion, 40 by

70 feet, with every necessary out-house, three commo lious barns, houses for Negroes, and fish houses at each of the fisheries. 120,000 bricks and 1000 bushels of time are just burnt on the premises. There is a considerable extent of live fence, both useful and ornamental, two orchards of well selected apples and peach, besides an abundance of other choice fruit. More than 150 acres are in clover, 200 in corn, and land is in preparation for sowing 250 bushels of small grain. Any quantity of nay can be cut from the low grounds, some of which (and all might,) have been reclaimed at a trifling expense. The river and creeks, abound with wild fowl, particularly canyass backs, the woods with deer and creeks, around the woods with deer and a variety of other game. Mules, cattle, highly improved sheep, farming urensels and household furniture can be had. The terms of sale will be accommodating. Property in any of the cities, negroes, bank stock, western lands, or lands near the Rrize, will be taken in payment.—Letters must be addressed to me at Polick Church, Fairfax county, Virginia.

Beptember 4 GEORGE MASON.

Valuable Property for Sale. The subscriber is destrious of selling a handsomely situated farm, on Hunting creek, in Fairlax county Virginia, adjoining the Mount Vernon estate and the lands of general Thomson Mason, four miles from A sandria, containing about 240 acres, 80 of which are in wood—40 to 50 in thriving mesdow of clover and timothy—a part of the residue recently seeded with wheat and tye, and clover, last spring—the whole enclosed with a new post and mil fence.—The improvements are, a confortable and

FRANCIS ADAMS, Jr.

For Rent.

A very convenient dwelling house in the lower part of Rayals. Adioining the house now occupied by Mr. Generes. Possession may be had immediately.

JOHN T. BROOKS.

january 1

For Rent, A convenient two story framed dwelling house, pleasantly situated, between Water and Gibbon streets. Possession will be given minediately. For terms apply to ROBERT HUNTER

january 2

Snuff, Aromatic Headache. For Catarrh

THIS Snuff, as celebrated for its agree This Snuff, as celebrated for its agreeble fragrance as for its efficacy in the
cure of recent catarrh and slow nervous
headache, is used and approved by the present professor of ehemistry in the university of Cambridge, wass, and by some of the
most respectable gentlemen of the faculty
in the United States—It is also particularly recommended by Dr Waterhouse, late
professor of the theory and practice of physic, in the above seminary—whose certificate accompanies each bottle.—Sold by

JAMES KENNEDV & SON,
Sole Agents for Alexandria.

Sole Agents for Alexandria September 24

District of Columbia. County of Alexandria, to wit: } 1818. ovember Term, IN CHANCERY.

> Samuel Smith, Complainant, AGAINST

Leonard Mudd and John Cohagen, Defend-THE defendant Leonard Mudd not have

ing entered his appearance to this suit and given security according to the statute and rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said defendant, Leonard Mudd, is that the said defendant, Leonard Mudd, is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of the said complainant, by his coursel, it is ordered that the said defendant, Leonard Mudd, do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that the other defendant, John Cohagen, do not now away convey or secrets, the do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by him owing to, or the estate or effects in his hands belonging to the said absent defendant, Leonard Mudd, until the sent defendant, Leonard Muid, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of said. county.

A copy. EDMUND I. LEE, C. C. january 25

District of Columbia: County of Alexandria, st. 1818.

November Term, etition of Henry Boswell, a rule is granted him against the representa-tives of John Webster, deceased, and against Rezin Webster, to show cause, on the first day of the next term, why a piece of ground situated in the town of Alexandria. late the property of William R. Webster should not be sold, and the money divide among the representatives of the said Wiliam Webster, according to law. It is ordered that this rule, as to Rezin Webster, he published in one of the Alexandria news-

A Copy, EDM. I. LEE, C. C. Teste,

District of Columbia, County of Alexandria, to wit, 1818.

Philip Triplett and Christopher Neale, joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of Triplett & Neale, Complainants,

AGAINST Chomas Vanname, Joseph Miligan, James B. Holmead, John Withers and Reuben Withers, joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of John & Reu-ben Withers, Robert McGrea and Willian Gregory, joint merchants and co-partners, trading under the firm of Ro-bert McCrea & Co.; Thomas H. Beall, William Cooper; Samuel Lindsay and Laurence Hill, joint merchants and co-partners, trading under the firm of Lind-

the eard clover, last spring—the whole enclosed with a new post and rail tence.—The improvements are, a comfortable and convenient frame dwelling house and kitchen, smoke house, poultry house, granary and stables.—There house, granary and stables.—There is an this place a rich and productive garden, and a large nody of marsh meadow, from which may be saved annually 100 tons of hay, nearly as antiricious as the best timothy or clover.—With the tame would be sold a number of very rainable horses, conseand sheep; waggon, earls, and a variety of farming utensils and houseined and kitchen furniture; corn, oats and recand at the constitution of the said compliance to the statute and the sorters recently enclosed, on which is a brick house, which a trifling expense would render comfortable. The soil is excellent, and a coasist derable part might be easily converted into meadow—it would be sold with the other or separately. Also, a number of valuable servants, male and female. To previous unnecessary application, he would observe, that hey will only be sold to persons residing in the District or its vicinity, and not to be curried from it. The subscriber will also sell the greater part of his builshold furniture which is not an inhabitant of the said defendant, Thomas H. Beall, is ordered, that the said defendant, Thomas H. Beall, is not an inhabitant of this District, on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered, that the said defendant, Thomas H. Beall, is not an inhabitant of this District, on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered, that the said defendant, Thomas H. Beall, is not an inhabitant of this District, on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered, that the said defendant, Thomas H. Beall, is not an inhabitant of this District, on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered, that the said defendant, Thomas H. Beall, is not an inhabitant of this District, on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered, that the

District of Columbia. County of Alexandria, to Wif: 1818.

IN CHANCERY. John & Wright Southgate, Complainants, AGAINST

Thomas Swann, Colin Auld and Edmund I.
Lee, assignees of the late Merchants
Bank of Alexandria; and John Anderson,
James Anderson, Daniel Annin, Samuel
Beall, William H. S. Boswell, Edmund
Brook, Benjamin Baden, Thomas K.
Bealle, James Bloxham, George Bruce,
junior, Richard Wood, Thomas Cookendorfer, Hugh Carolin, Daniel Cawood,
Samuel Chester, John Corse and Nathaniel Rounsavell, trading under the
firm of Corse and Rounsavell, George
Coleman, John Cobagen, James H. Du
lany, Camillus Griffith, Nimrod Farrow,
Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, junior, Robert Hall, John Jackson,
Alexander Kyle, John McPherson and
Daniel McPherson, late joint merchants
and copartners, under the firm of John Thomas Swann, Colin Auld and Edmund ! Daniel McPherson, late joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of John McPherson & Son; Daniel McPherson, Charles Moxley, Alexander Moore, Thomas Mount, James R. Riddle, administrator of Ferdinand Marsteller, Joseph Mandeville, Joseph Mandeville and Samuel B. Larmour, joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of Mandeville & Larmour; Robert Mandeville and James Mandeville, joint merchants and copart & Larmour; Robert Mandeville and James Mandeville, joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of Rubert & James Mandeville; William N. Mills, Robert A. Mills, Thomas Pickerill, Craven T. Peyton, Noblet Herbert, administrator of William Paton, junior; Thomas Neill, Thomas Olive, James R. Riddle, Natherial Page 11 Thomas Rigidle, Natherial Page 11 Thomas Rigidle, Natherial Page 11 Thomas Rigidle, Page 12 Thomas Rigidle, Page 13 Thomas Rigidle, Page 13 Thomas Rigidle, Natherial Page 14 Thomas Rigidle, Natherial Page 14 Thomas Rigidle, Natherial Page 15 Thomas Rigidle, Natherial Ri thaniel Rounsavell, Thomas Rigdon, Peter Saunders, Daniel Somers, James S. Scott, John A Stewart, William Smith, Thomas Senmes, Thomson Simpson, Evan P. Taylor, William A. Linton, ex-ecutor of William Tyler, Ambrose Vase, Robert N. Windsor, Robert Young, Cave Withers, Richard Wells, the Mechanics' Bank of Alexandria, the Bank of Washington, Bank of the Metropolis, the Patriotic Bank, Central Bank of Georgetown and Washington, Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the Mechanics' Bank of Baltimore, the Bank of Chambersburg, Bank of Waterford, the Bank of Winchester, Defendants.

THE defendants John Anderson, Daniel Annin, Sam'l, Bealle, Edmund Brooke, Thomas Cookendorfer, Daniel Chester, James H. Dulany, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, junior, Alexander Kyle, John McPherson, Chafles Moxley, Tho's, Pickerille, Tho's, Neille, Thomas Olive, Thomas Rigion, William Smith, Thomson Simpson, William A. Linton, Richard Wells, the President and Directors of the Kranklin Bank of Baltimore. rectors of the Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the president and Directors of the Bank of Chambersburg, the president and Directors of the Bank of Waterford, and the President and Directors of the Bank of Winchester, not having entered their appearance. ter, not having entered their appearance, and given security according to the statute and the rules of this court; and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, upon affidavit, that the said defendants John Anderson, Daniel Annin, Samuel Bealle, Edmund Brooke, Thomas Cookendorfer, Daniel Chester, James H. Dulany, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, jun'r. Alexander Kyle, John McPherson, Charles Moxley, Thomas Pickerille, Thomas Neille, Thomas Olive, Thomas Rivdon, Wm. Smith, Thomas Olive, Thomas Rivdon, Wm. Smith, Thomas Olive, mas Rigdon, Wm. Smith, Thomson Simpson, William A. Linton, Richard Wells, the President and Directors of the Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the President and Directors of the Bank of Chambersburg, the President and Directors of the Bank of Wa terford, and the President and Directors of the Bank of Winchester, are not inhabitants of this District-on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered that the said absent defendants do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and enter their appearance to this suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the Court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for 2 months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be post-ed at the front door of the court-house of

said county. Teste, EDMUND I LEE, C C. s2m

> District of Columbia. County of Alexandria, to wit: 1818. November Term.

IN CHANCERY.
The Mechanics' Bank of Alexandria, Complainants,

AGAINST

Thomas W. Peytomand William H. Dundass, Defendants.

THE defendant Thomas W. Peyton not THE defendant Thomas W. Peyton not having entered his appearance to this suit, and given security according to the statute and the rules of this Court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said defendant Thomas W. Peyton, is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of the said complainants, by their counsel, it is ordered. That the said defendant, Thomas W. Peyton, do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and enter his appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that the other defendant, William H. Dundass, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by him owing to, or the estate or effects in his hands helonging to the said absent defendant, Thomas W. Peyton, until the further order or decree of this count; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published in one of the public newspapers published in this county, for two months successively; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house in said county.

The EDIMIND LLEE C. C.

A copy.
Teste, EDMUND I. LEE, C. C. january 22

To Ship-owners, lished for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of said county.

A copy

Teste, REMUND I. LIE, G. C. january 26

To Ship-Owners, MISTERS OF VESSELS 4 OTHERS of the subscriber (late from England) mathematical instrument maker, offers his services to clean and repair all sorts of Ship's Compasses, Quadrants, Sextants, 4c. in the best manner, at his house on Prince street, between Pitt, and St. Asaph streets. Oct 31

DANIEL MUNRO.

District of Columbia, County of Alexandria, to Wit: 1818. IN CHANCERY.

Thomson Mason, Complainant,

Thomas Swann Colin Auld, and Edmund I. Lee, assignes of the late Merchants Bank of Alexandria; and John Auder-Bank of Alexandria; and John Anderson, James An Ierson, Dairel Anoin, Samuel Beell, William H. S. Boswell, Edmund Brook, Benjamin Baden, Thomas K. Beelle, James Bloxham, George Bruce; juhior, Richard Wood, Thomas Cookendorfer, Hugh Carolin, Dauiet Cawood, Samuel Chester, John Corse and Nathandel Rooks well, trading under the firm of Corse & Rooksavell; George Nathaniel Rouns well, training under the firm of Corse & Rounsavell; George Coleman, John Cohagen, James H. Dudany, Camillus Griffith, Nintrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, junior, Robert Hall, John Jackson, Alexander Kyle, John McPherson and Daniel McPherson, late joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of John McPherson & Son; Daniel McPherson, Charles Moxley, Alexander Moore, Thomas Mount, James R. Riddle, administrator of Ferdinand Marsteller; Joseph Mandeville, Joseph Mandeville and Samuel B. Larshour, joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of Mandeville and Larmour; Robert Mandeville and coparthers, under the firm of Mandeville and Larmour; Robert Mandeville and James Mandeville, joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of Robert & James Mandeville; William N. Mills, Robert A. Mills, Thomas Pickerill, Craven T. Peyton, Noblet Herbert, administrator of Villiam Paton, junior; Thomas Neill, Thomas Olive, James R. Riddle, Nathaniel Rounsavell, Thomas Rigge dle, Nathaniel Rounsavell, Thomas Rigdon, Pe'er Saunters, Daniel Somers, James S. Scott, John A. Stewart, Wil-James S. Scott, John A. Stewart, Wil-liam Smith, Thomas Semmes, Thomason Simpson, Evan P. Taylor, William A. Linton, Executor of William Tyler; Am-brose Vase, Robert N. Wimisor, Robert Young, Cave Withers, Richard Wells, the Mechanics' Bank of Alexandria, the Bank of Washington, Bank of the Me-tropolis, the Patriotic Bank, Central Bank of Georgetown and Washington, Frank. tropolis, the Patriotic Bank, Central Bank of Georgetown and Washington, Franklip Bank of Baltimore, the Mechanics' Bank of Baltimore, the Bank of Chambersburgh, Bank of Waterford, the Bank of Winchester, Defendants.

THE defendants John Anderson, Daniel Anoin, Sam'l. Bealle, Edmund Brooke,

Thomas Cookendorfer, Daniel Chester, James H. Dulany, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, junior, Alexander Kyle, John McPherson, Charles Moxley, Tho's Pickerille, Tho's Neille, Thomas Olive, Thomas Rigdon, William Smith, Thomson Simpson, William A. Linton, Richard Wells, the Pranklin Bark of Rellinger rectors of the Franklin Bank of Baltimore. the President and Directors of the Bank of Chambersburg, the President and Directors of the Bank of Waterford, and the President and Directors of the Bank of Winchester, not having entered their appearance and given security according to the statute and the rules of this court; and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, upon al-fidavit, that the said defendants John Anderson. Daniel Annin, Samuel Bealle, Edmund Brooke, Thomas Cookendorfer, Daniel Chester, James H. Dulany, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, jun'r. Alexander Kyle, John Mc-Pherson, Charles Marlan, Ph Pherson, Charles Moxley, Thomas Pickthe President and Directors of the Bank of Waterford, and the President and Direc-tors of the Bank of Winchester, are not inhabitants of this District-on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is or-dered that the said absent defendants do appear here on the first day of next Term. and enter their appearance to this soit, and give security for performing the decrees of the Court; and that a copy of this order be furthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers pub-lished in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-

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ouse of said county.

District of Columbia. County of Alexandria, to wit: \ November Term, LN CHANCERY.

Mark Butts and Grafton Cawood, joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of Butts & Cawood, Complainants,

Thomas Roberts, William Paton, Jonathan Butcher, and John B. Paton, the three

Thomas Roberts, William Paton, Jonathan Butcher, and John B. Paton, the three last joint merchants and copartoers in trade, under the firm of Paton & Butcher, and Richard Libby, and John Massie & Company. Defandants.

THE defendant Thomas Roberts not having entered his appearance and given security according to the statute and the rules of the Court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, upon affidavit, that the said Thomas Roberts is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of said complainants, by their counsel, it is ordered that the said defendant. Thomas Roberts, do appear here on the first day of the next term, and enter his appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the Court; and that the other defendants, Paton & Butcher, Richard Libby, and John Massie & Company, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by them owing to, or the estate or effects in their lands, belonging to the said absent defendant, Thomas Roberts, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published in this county, for two months successively, in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be next term, and enter his appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the Court; and that the other defendants, Paton & Butcher, Richard Libby, and John Massie & Company, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by them owing to, or the estate or effects in their hands, belonging to the said absent defendant, Thomas Roberts, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published in this county, for two months successively. this county, for two months successively, in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of said county.

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Wheat.

wish to purchase several thousand bush-els of wheat, for which a liberal price ill be given. THOMAS V. HUCK.

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria, to wit: 1818. November Term, IN CHANCERY. James Sanderson, Complainant.

Catherine F. McCall; and John Creighton and William Gilham, the two last under the firm of John Creighton & Company,

Definitants. having entered her appearance and given security according to the statute and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said detendant, Catherine F. McCall, is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of the court and the said countries. is not an inhabitant of this District—on mo-tion of the said complainant, by his comsel, it is ordered. That the said defendant, Ca-therine F. McCall, do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and enter her appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that the other defendants, John Creighton & Company, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by them owing to, or the estate or effects in their hands belong-ing to the said absent defendant Catherine the estate or effects in their hands belonging to the said absent defendant Catherine F. McCall, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that anopers published in this county and the county an her copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of the said county.

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PROPOSALS
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TO THE PUBLIC. T seems a little surprising that amongst

so many subjects as have been presented for American Biography, the lives of those who have affixed their signatures to the Declaration of Independence have been overlooked or disregarded. The eyes of housands have dwelf with rapture upon the focument that announced to the world that these United Colonies were, and of right ought to be, free, sovereign, and independent states;" while we are better acquainted with the handwriting than with the characters of many of those illustrious men who have added their signatures to that instrument. The founders of the only restrument. The founders of the only remaining republic on the globe, have, with a few splendid exceptions, gone to their graves, and it behoves a generous posterity, sensible of their obligations, to preserve their fame. The longer we neglect the payment of so sacred a debt, the more difficult does the payment become.—Traits of payment of so sacred a debt, the more difficult does the payment become.—Traits of individual character are fugitive and evanescent; and if they are not snatched by the hand of the Biographic Muse, at an early season, from the cold grasp of death, will soon partake of the oblivion of the body.—It is not the object of the present attempt, to deal in that profusion of indiscriminate and ansparing panegyric, so often and so rnerson, Charles Moxley, Thomas Pick-erille, Thomas Neille, Thomas Olive, Tho-mas Rigdon, Wm. Smith, Thomson Simp-son, William A. Linton, Richard Wells, the President and Directors of the Frank-lin Bank of Baltimore, the President and Directors of the Bank of Chambersburg, the President and Directors of the Bank of Chambersburg, the President and Directors of the Bank of Chambersburg, as they were; they stand in need of no panegyrie; and we earnestly solicit from the surviving relations and friends of those revolutionary patriots all the information that will tend to a development of character. Man is the creature of circumstance, and Man is the creature of circumstance, and we wish to show the progress of those patriots from their first resistance of colonial aggression, until they stood forth the noble and undaunted champions of their country's independence. All this can only be done by a familiar acquaintance with the lives of these men, and whoever of the surviving friends or relatives will furnish facts and circumstances is their possession to unfold circumstances in their possession to unfold and illustrate their characters, shall be enand illustrate their characters, shall be entitled to a copy of the work as a recompense. It is contemplated, wherever it is practicable, further to embellish the meditated work with correct likenesses of the subjects of our biography, executed by the most eminent artists in the country. For this purpose we again solicit the assistance of their surviving relatives and friends. If they will transmit to the publisher any engraving or portrait from which a copy may be taken, the original shall be faithfully returned, and shall likewise be remunerated with a copy of the work. In the first number it is proposed to give an account of the

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